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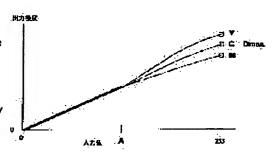
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### (54) PICTURE PROCESSOR AND ITS METHOD

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To always optimally reproduce the halftone of gray.

SOLUTION: Correction in the same way as that of a r curve based on an absolute density value is executed with respect to an inputting range (0 to A) equivalent to a gray color representation area by removing a base color. At this time, an inputting range (A to 255) equivalent to an area outside of gray color representation is corrected so that a maximum density value actually measured by each color and the  $\gamma$  curve based on the absolute density value may be continuous.



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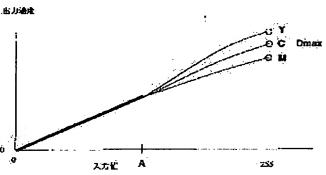
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### (54) 画像処理装置及びその方法

### (57)【要約】

【課題】各色毎の最大出力濃度値補正の際に各色毎にパラツキが発生すると、、該最大出力濃度に基づいて調整される中間調レベルの出力濃度値にもパラツキが生じてしまう。 【解決手段】下色除去によるグレイ表色域に相当する入力範囲(0~A)については絶対濃度値に基づくγ曲線に準ずる補正を行い、グレイ表色外域に相当する入力範囲(A~255)については各色毎に実測された最大濃度



値と前記絶対濃度値に基づくγ曲線とが連続するように補正する。

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